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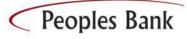


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ACCOMPLISHMENTS & Vision

It has been my privilege as board president of the Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce to lead this organization in 2021. Despite the lingering challenges thrown at us from the global pandemic, we have achieved some amazing accomplishments:

- · Maintained our membership for the year at our goal level, along with addition of new members
- Provided Lunch & Learn opportunities by bringing in speakers with informative programs that were of interest to our membership
- · Added "Coffee with Elected Officials" (4th Saturday of month during legislative session) with our House and Senate Legislators, Warren County Supervisor, Mayor of Carlisle and Carlisle School District Superintendent



- · Initiated having board representation at City Council meetings throughout the year, developing a closer working relationship with our City
- Increased attendance and opportunities at community events (Golf Outing, PumpkinFest & Light Up Carlisle)
- · Worked with the City of Carlisle and Warren County Economic Development Corporation on economic development

Working for the greater good of our community has been a major goal of my tenure. I have confidence that the future of our organization, under the direction of our president elect, Mathew Wanderscheid, will be stable and positioned for growth. I look at the past year as being just the start towards accomplishing the goals that I had set for the chamber. I feel that we have gotten the ball rolling on discussions to "beautify" the city of Carlisle with various projects. We also have improved our social media presence and communication with our members. However, we still have much work to do to see these through.

I thank our great board of directors, both past and present, for their hard work and dedication, and for having the confidence in me to be your chamber board's president. Let's keep Carlisle strong!

As the vice president of the Chamber, I am looking forward to serving the community, advancing the goals and supporting the mission of this organization. My vision and objectives for 2022 include:

- Developing a plan and project to improve the appearance and increase traffic to our business district
- Ensure that every chamber member feels that their membership has value and
- Increase our presence on social media that will result in double the number of "likes" and people "following" the chamber Facebook page.
- Meet with past Chamber presidents and get their input on the direction the Chamber is going
- Continue to bring value-added speakers for our Lunch & Learn
- · Continue to strengthen our relationship with the City of Carlisle and Warren County Development Corporation on economic development
- · Continue the growth of our Chamber

I am anticipating that 2022 will be a year of growth and challenges. However, as we work together as a cohesive unit, we can and will do great things for the community of Carlisle. #CarlisleStrong

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE?



The Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce is a vehicle through which business and organization professionals work together for the common good of the community. The goal of the chamber is to further the interests of business in the local area.

What is the vision of the Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce?

- To become the focal point for the business community of Carlisle
- To be the "go to" resource for advocacy, education and resources for our businesses and for the community overall
- To become the catalyst for change and growth in the local economy
- To assist in creating a prosperous business climate in Carlisle
- To help develop and nurture relationships with government, educational organizations and other community sectors to facilitate the needs and interests of the business community

Regional Connectivity & Exposure

Any business that becomes a member of the Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce automatically becomes a dual member in the Greater Des Moines Partnership (GDMP) at no additional cost. Through this membership, our members have access to more than 6,000 businesses in the metro. Through this dual membership, our members are listed on the GDMP regional website and receive correspondence on a regular basis which includes local and regional news and updates on opportunities and events. This gives visibility, awareness and a voice in both local and regional initiatives.



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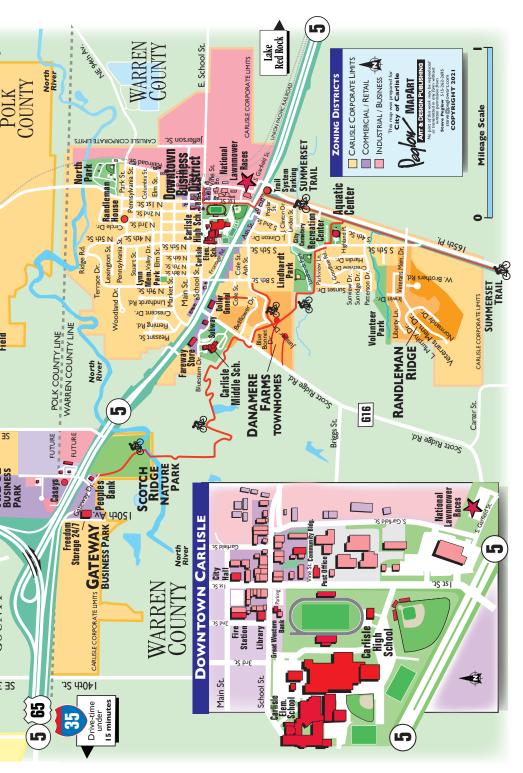
What's In It For Me?

- Chamber membership is an effective business strategy
- Consumers are 80 percent more likely to purchase goods and services from a chamber member
- Business growth opportunities
- Endless networking opportunities with like-minded business professionals: Lunch & Learns, Afterhours, Regional Events and more
- Member only referrals (Encouraging citizens to SHOP LOCAL)
- Membership window decals
- New member newsletter recognition
- · New member reception and orientation
- Access to member mailing labels (small fee involved)
- · Internet listing with a link to your website
- · Monthly newsletters
- Ability to sponsor events
- · Listing in the annual chamber directory
- Educational opportunities
- Promoting your business via Facebook
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PROGRAMS

A lot happens here in Carlisle during the year! We start out in January with the Annual Dinner at which time we recognize Carlisle's Business of the Year, Citizen of the Year, Employee of the Year and Friend of Education. These awards are given to our citizens and businesses who have volunteered their time/talents for the betterment of the community.

CHAMBER EVENTS

- Carlisle Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner
- · Annual Legislative Reception
- · GDMP Day on the Hill
- Metro-Wide Women's Mentoring Event
- GDMP Annual Washington DC Advocacy Trip
- · Chamber Night at the I-Cubs
- Chamber Annual Celebration
- Monthly Meetings (During Legislative Session) with Legislators, Warren County Supervisor, Mayor of Carlisle, Carlisle Superintendent of Schools
- Independence Day Celebration & Parade
- Quarterly Meeting with Non-Profit Groups of Carlisle
- Annual Golf Outing
- Teacher Appreciation Breakfast
- Lunch & Learn (speakers of interest to our membership)
- PumpkinFest
- · Light Up Carlisle
- Regional Legislative Lunch & Learn
- · Ground Breaking & Ribbon Cutting Celebrations
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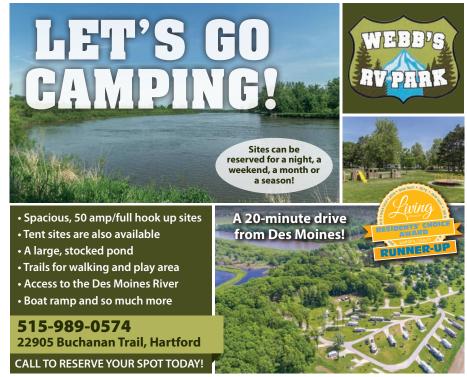
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Freedom for Youth Ministries

Youth Sports

Carlisle Girls Softball Association Carlisle Little League





WARREN COUNTY

Economic Development Corporation

Supporting and growing the Carlisle business community

Warren County Economic Development Corp (WCEDC) is a non-profit organization that works in partnership with Warren County communities to grow the local economy. From assisting new and existing businesses to marketing available commercial/industrial properties, WCEDC continuously works to create a thriving business-ready economic environment one initiative at a time:

- Small Business Grant Contest. Grant \$10,000 to Warren County businesses each year.
- Economic Impact Awards Event. Host annual county-wide business awards and recognition event.
- Financial Assistance. Administer several grant and loan programs including: Revolving Loan Fund, Opportunity Fund, and Veteran-Owned Business Grant, as well as work to identify additional funding sources/assistance for Warren County businesses.
- **Business Assistance.** Provide resources, technical assistance, and education to help Warren County businesses and entrepreneurs thrive.
- SBDC Advisor Days. Offer free one-on-one business consultations with Small Business Development Center advisors in our office on the second Thursday of each month.



• Commercial Property Inventory.

Maintain a searchable database of available commercial sites and buildings in Warren County at www.wcedc.com and continuously work to match properties with potential businesses.

- County-Wide Gift Certificate. Offer a county-wide gift certificate program to help keep dollars local.
- Warren County Leadership Institute. Facilitate annual institute that trains and informs business and community leaders living or working in Warren County.
- Warren County Hometown Pride. Encourage community betterment and engagement through the Hometown Pride Committees' projects and events.

To take advantage of these opportunities or to learn how WCEDC can help you, contact WCEDC at info@wcedc.com or 515-961-1067

Rachel Gocken, Executive Director



CITY OF CARLISLE

Downtown Carlisle offers many opportunities to residents. With several wonderful restaurants and some planned improvements like parking lot updates and additions to the greenspace around the Chamber, Carlisle is looking to reinvest in itself and become even more attractive than we already are.

Residents get to enjoy the small-town Iowa feel while being close to some of Iowa's favorite places to have fun. Carlisle is only 20 minutes from Downtown Des Moines, 15 minutes from the Blank Park Zoo, and 30 minutes from Lake Red Rock. Residents looking to go a little farther away from home can enjoy a short 15-minute drive to the Des Moines International Airport.

Carlisle is a safe community with municipally operated police, fire and EMS services. We are fortunate to have a strong public works department and municipal electric utility. Both crews work tirelessly to provide quality service and keep disruptions to service extremely low. We have an active public library and parks and recreation department that offer an ever-growing number of fun programs geared towards all age groups. A strong school district affords our youth opportunities for growth. Visitors and residents alike can enjoy a wonderful aquatic center, our 3.5-mile-long paved Scotch Ridge Nature Trail, or gain direct access to the Summerset Bike Trail. All this combined makes Carlisle a great place to live and raise a family.

On behalf of the City of Carlisle, I would like to invite you to our great city. I think you will see why Carlisle really is The Natural Choice.

Mayor Drew Merrifield and the Carlisle City Council



IMPORTANT NUMBERS TO KNOW

ALL EMERGENCIES: CALL 911

City Hall 1	100 N. First St.	(515) 989-3224	City Administrator Deven Markley, City Clerk Martha Becker
Police Station 1	195 N. First St.	(515) 989-4121	Police Chief Matt Koch
Fire & EMS 1	135 N. Second St.	(515) 989-3311	Fire Chief Cory Glover
Public Works 4	105 Railroad St.	(515) 989-0849	Public Works Superintendent Tommy Thompson
Electric 6	645 Railroad St.	(515) 989-4012	Electric Superintendent Don Miller
Parks & Recreation 1	100 N. First St.	(515) 989-2697	Parks & Rec. Superintendent Ronda Frost
Public Library 1	135 School St.	(515) 989-0909	Library Director Stacy Goodhue
City Attorney – Robert Stuyvesant		(515) 989-3263	Stuyvesant, Patin, Strong and Krapfl, PLLC
MidAmerican Energy Gas Emergencies		(888) 427-5632	
Water/Electric Emergencies		(515) 961-2211	

CITY HALL and Police Department



In November 2019, the citizens of Carlisle passed two bond referendums allowing the City to move forward with renovations for two parts of a three-part Facilities Master Plan that was completed earlier that year. The City worked with Ethos Design Group to create a plan for renovating three buildings to allow several departments to have room for growth for decades to come. The three parts of the Facilities Master Plan include moving City Hall, renovating the Police Department, and moving the Public Library.

The first renovation is complete and included moving City Hall to 100 N. First Street on the corner of First Street and School Street. The renovations for this former bank building included an update to the layout, addition of a large conference room and Mayor's office, addition of electronic equipment in the Council Chambers, and space for future expansion of a Community and Economic Development Department including several locations for building inspectors.

The design team tried to keep customer service in mind. Several items were included to achieve this goal including a drive-up payment drop box in the alley behind the Public Library, a walk-up payment drop box near the Council Chambers door on N. First Street, multiple transaction counters, and placement of the Mayor's office off of the lobby to act as a flexible meeting space for staff with customers.

City Administrator Deven Markley shared some comments on his excitement surrounding the renovations. "I think council and staff are most proud of being able to breathe some new life into these downtown buildings. My hope is that these renovations will help create some excitement and start to give downtown a facelift. Council and staff have put over a year of thought into this plan and another year into the renovation. I think the result is a solid project that fills our needs for today while also setting several departments up for decades of growth. The building is something we can be proud of as a community."

Renovations





The second renovation project includes turning the entire City Hall building at 195 N. First Street into the Police Department. For many years, the department was housed in the basement of the building. This renovation will be larger in scope and include a complete renovation of the upstairs for offices and a public safety training room, addition of an enclosed sally port, fenced in outdoor parking, additional room for evidence storage, and updated interview rooms.

During renovation, the Police Department has been temporarily relocated to 1221 S. Fifth Street, the future location of the Public Library. This building is located next to the Aquatic Center. This was done to make the large renovation easier to facilitate by allowing the contractor to have access to the whole building at once.

Mayor Drew Merrifield notes that he is particularly proud of the use of funds. "It is our job as elected officials to effectively and responsibly utilize our taxpayer's funds to do what is best for Carlisle in the long-term. I feel these building investments do just that by keeping overall costs low compared to new construction while setting up our main administrative office and one of our public safety departments for long-term growth."

Ethos Design Group has been retained as the architect and project lead on the projects. Renovations for City Hall have been completed and the building is open to the public. Renovations for the Police Department have started and are expected to run through January 2022.

Welcome to

CARLISLE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS



The Carlisle Community School District is an exciting place to be. Opportunities are numerous for the more than 2,300 students who attend our schools. The Carlisle Community includes quality, caring staff and supportive families. Our district serves the "PEACH" communities of Palmyra, Easter Lake, Avon, Carlisle and Hartford. It's a great place to live and learn.

More than 90 percent of our graduates go on to some form of postsecondary pathways. Our students rank high at the state and conference level on every measure of academic performance. Our



district is a leader in the state in providing a K-12 STEM program options for all students. Carlisle faculty and staff strive constantly to provide a world-class education experience for our students. Learning and continuous improvement is the foundation of our district. Our district is a recognized Professional Learning Community district, and we pride ourselves in being collaborative around student outcomes and grounding our work in student learning results.

In addition to academics, the district features successful extra- and co-curricular programs with over 75% of our students participating in at least one program. Our growing vocal, band, and related arts programs perform at the highest levels. The district's athletic teams compete at the 3A level for statewide competitions and are members of the Raccoon River Conference. Whatever your child's interest may be, Carlisle Community Schools provides opportunities for success and growth.



The list is long, and the ways to be involved and be engaged in our district are numerous. Enjoy the experience — get involved with your school. Visit our district website to learn about the great things our students and staff are doing every day. Be a part of the Carlisle Wildcat family.

Bryce Amos Carlisle Community School District superintendent

COMPETENCIES



Master Core Academic Content

Students can transfer knowledge to other situations. Students' understanding of knowledge in an academic area can be transferred to other situations.

Think Critically and Solve Complex Problems

Students can apply strategies from core subjects to formulate and solve problems. Students apply tools learned from core subjects to formulate and solve problems. Tools include data analysis, statistical reasoning, scientific inquiry, nonlinear thinking and persistence.

Work Collaboratively

Students can function within a team to identify and create solutions to reach a shared goal. Students cooperate to identify and create solutions to academic, social, vocational and personal challenges. The skills required for teamwork — social skills ranging from active listening of other points of view to conflict resolution — allow them to be more effective in reaching a shared goal.

Communicate Effectively

Students can clearly organize their thoughts



in both written and oral communication. Students clearly organize their data, findings and thoughts in both written and oral communication.

Learn How to Learn

Students assess and direct their own learning. Students monitor and direct their own learning.

Develop Academic Mindsets

Students form a deep commitment to learning as a lifelong process, develop academic perseverance and search for solutions to overcome obstacles.

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